

Nebraska NEW VALUES FOR SCHOOL LANDS

Sixteen Counties of Nebraska, Containing 450,000 Acres, Will Be Reappraised.

ANCIENT PRICES YET PREVAIL

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Sixteen counties containing 450,000 acres of school lands will be revalued this fall to increase the state's rental revenue, in accordance with action taken by the Board of Educational Land and Funds.

Some of the land now rents for a cent an acre, at a price fixed years ago and never changed. The money raised by the proposed increase, the exact ratio not being announced, will go into the temporary school fund to be distributed semi-annually to all Nebraska school districts, according to school attendance.

The counties to be reappraised are Cherry, Arthur, Cheyenne, Deuel, Dundee, Franklin, Grant, Hooker, Kearney, Kimball, Lincoln, Logan, McPherson, Morrill, Perkins and Thomas.

Morehead Inspects Plant.
Governor Morehead has gone to Boelus at the request of W. H. Thompson and other officials of a company which is constructing a water power plant on the Lepp river to furnish Grand Island and other neighboring towns with electricity.

Attend Sutherland Funeral.
Attorney General Reed will go to Nelson Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late R. D. Sutherland, whose daughter is the wife of Dexter T. Barrett, Mr. Reed's deputy.

Gerdes Buying Cows.
Commissioner Gerdes of the Board of Control went to a sale in Walton, Neb., today to buy thoroughbred milch cows to add to the herd at the Lincoln State hospital. Five of the hospital herd won first premiums at the Gage county fair this year.

School Men to Nashville.
Nebraska school men will attend a national conference on teacher training for rural schools, at Nashville, Tenn., November 15-18. At that meeting papers will be read by A. O. Thomas, state superintendent, D. W. Fay, president of the Peru State Normal, and A. V. Teed, supervisor of rural schools.

Coroner's Jury Relieves Lewis from All Blame

GRAND ISLAND, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Last night a coroner's jury returned a verdict in the case of the death of Nevin Nelson, shot and killed in the hands of Mrs. Lewis Friday night, finding that Nevin Nelson came to his death by a gunshot wound inflicted by P. G. Lewis, and we furthermore find that the shots were fired by P. G. Lewis in self-defense.

The verdict does not release either Mr. Lewis or Mrs. Lewis from custody, but it is understood that steps will be taken today to release them.

The funeral of Nelson was held today, relatives of both Mr. and Mrs. Nelson being present from out of town.

Mrs. Lewis did not appear on the witness stand, but her written statement, showing her husband to have been attacked by Nelson at the time of the shooting, was read to the jury and submitted in evidence.

BEATRICE NEWS NOTES AND TOWN GOSSIP

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Fire of unknown origin destroyed the farm residence of L. O. Clark, northwest of Adams, William Ash and family were the tenants on the farm and they lost all of their household goods. The loss is placed at about \$2,000, partially covered by insurance.

Mrs. Joseph Shackleton on Monday afternoon fell down the cellar way at her home, fracturing three ribs and sustaining severe bruises about the head and body.

F. H. McMaster, in charge of the cloak and suit department of J. Samish's store for the last four years, has resigned and will locate in the south, where he has secured a similar position with a large wholesale house.

Herman G. Stahl and Miss Lois Warman, both of Harbine, were married in this city Monday afternoon by Rev. C. F. Stevens. They will make their home on a farm near Harbine.

Harold, the 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gillette of this city, sustained a broken arm and severe bruises in a foot ball game here Monday afternoon.

Peter Arenholt, engaged in the meat business at Miller for the last eighteen years, died at that place Tuesday morning of pneumonia, aged 53 years. He was never married.

The cornerstone for the new Congregational church was laid Monday afternoon. The principal address was by Rev. V. F. Clark. Two charter members of the church, organized here in 1854, Mrs. Carrie Robbins and Dr. Julia Starr, were present. The church records, in a tin box, was placed in the stone by Mrs. Carrie Robbins.

Rev. French Oliver closed his five weeks' evangelistic meeting here Sunday night, the total number of conversions being 62.

FREMONTERS WRESTLING WITH HITCH POST PROBLEM

FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The hitching-post problem, which has been the subject of much discussion in the city council and the meetings of the Merchants' association for several years, has at last reached the courts, Gus Gumpert, a department store owner, having brought suit asking for an injunction restraining the city from removing the posts on the street in front of his store. Hitching posts were ordered removed from the main streets when the electric trolley system was installed, five years ago. The racks were allowed to remain on the side streets. Recently the council ordered all streets for a block on either side of Main street cleared.

Good for Sick Headaches.
Constipation causes sick headache, and Dr. King's New Life Pills will cure it. Take a dose tonight. See all druggists.—Advertisement.

ELECTED CHAIRMAN BY DOUGLAS COUNTY SUFFRAGISTS.



Mrs. W.G. Whitmore

APPLES BRING MUCH MONEY

Nebraska Farmers Just Finding Out that They Have Chance to Make Cash.

DUNCAN GIVES SOME EXAMPLES

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The 1915 Nebraska apple crop was equal to the combined crops of Utah and Idaho, as great as that of Utah and Colorado combined, and greater than Colorado and New Mexico together, said Secretary J. R. Duncan of the State Horticultural society, taking official cognizance of the first apple day in Nebraska.

"Nebraska is sixteenth in apple production in the United States, being surpassed by only the older apple states, including New York, Michigan, Missouri, Iowa, Illinois and other eastern states.

"The major part of the Nebraska crop is raised in Richardson, Nemaha, Otoe, Johnson, Pawnee and Cass counties. The present acreage at the best is capable of producing 20,000,000 bushels. The 1915 crop of apples, if distributed among the people of the state, would furnish each man, woman and child forty apples.

"Apple orchards average forty trees per acre. A well-cared-for tree will average from five to ten bushels per tree during a ten-year period."

Indicative of the gold mine Nebraska farmers have in well-cared-for orchards, Mr. Duncan cited these facts:

"A Winesap orchard in Otoe county containing 240 trees, 15 years old, produced eighteen bushels per tree, selling for an average of 50 cents per bushel. The total return for the crop was \$2,160.

"A small orchard near Omaha, of which thirteen acres is 15 years old and two acres 5 years old, produced in 1914 4,500 bushels of apples, which netted the owner \$4,000, or a net income of 22 cent per acre on a \$1,000 per acre valuation.

"A twenty-eight-acre orchard, 15 years old, eleven miles from Falls City, produced over \$2,300 net, from the 1914 crop of apples. It had only been cared for a year.

"A Winesap tree near Shubert produced six barrels of No. 1 apples and six barrels of No. 2 fruit, which brought a gross return of \$7 for the tree. The orchard is planted thirty trees to the acre.

"The United States census shows 2,632,178 trees in this state bearing fruit. The 1915 crop is estimated at 2,000,000 bushels, which in three times as large as the 1914 crop and half of the 1911 crop."

WEST NEBRASKA IRRIGATORS GIVE THANKS TO REED

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Western Nebraska irrigators have adopted resolutions commending Attorney General Willis E. Reed for his work in protecting the interests of the state in the litigation over water rights pending between Colorado and Wyoming.

The attorney general has devoted his entire time to rate and irrigation matters since taking over the office. The Wyoming-Colorado suit is of vast importance to irrigators in western Nebraska, because Colorado claims prior rights to the water and would cut off Wyoming and Nebraska from its use.

UNION PACIFIC MAIL CLERK IN WRECK LOSES MIND

BEATRICE, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—William Wiebele, mail clerk on the Union Pacific between Beatrice and Manhattan, Kan., who was injured in the wreck at Randolph, Kan., is in a hospital at Manhattan and has lost his mind over worry caused by the wreck. He is unable to recall any incident relative to the accident.

The body of Edwin Peterson, one of the wreck victims, was brought here today. It will be taken to Virginia, this county, for burial tomorrow.

Fairbury News Notes.
FAIRBURY, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Miss Mary H. Kelso resumed her work as stenographer in the Rock Island division superintendent's office after her annual vacation.

A home talent play entitled "The Katzenjammer Kids" was given at the opera house Monday and Tuesday nights of this week by the Fairbury Woman's club. The proceeds will be used to build a swimming pond in the city park for the children of Fairbury.

A big freight locomotive on local freight No. 81 was derailed near Thompson, in this county, this morning.

Operating officials for the Rock Island railroad at this point have increased the number of extra board firemen to handle the increased freight business. A number of locomotive passenger firemen have been promoted to extra board firemen, and other men put on their runs.

Local officials are making extensive arrangements for big business on this division this winter.

Farmers in this vicinity are sowing wheat. It is said the acreage will be smaller than in other years. Last year many fields of wheat could not be cut.

News of Geneva.
GENOA, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Frank Ashton and Mrs. Harry Warner left this morning for Omaha to attend the Rebeekah assembly, the former as delegate from Silver Link No. 14 lodge.

Electric meeting of No. 18 convenses in Genoa Friday, October 23. State Assembly President Welch will be present as instructor.

Nebraska FIGHT EXCESSIVE CHARGE FOR SAND

Overestimate of Weights Declared as Grievance Against the Missouri Pacific.

COMPLAINT FROM SUPERIOR

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Excessive charges for switching cars and over-estimation of weights is charged by the Superior Sand and Gravel company of Superior against the Missouri Pacific railroad, to be heard Wednesday by the railway commission. The railroad is charged with charging \$5 a car for hauling sand from the sand company's switch to the main tracks, with regular train crews, no switching crews being employed. The railroad got \$5 a day rental for its cars while they are being loaded, and figures in freight charges 1,000 pounds a cubic yard, where the weight never, according to the sand company, exceeds 2,700 pounds.

Farrar Calls on Reed.
Fred Farrar, attorney general of Colorado, the only democratic state officer, called on Attorney General Reed Tuesday in regard to irrigation matters in the western part of the state.

Too Much Green Corn.
Too much green corn killed most of Jack Shelton's ten cattle, which died during the last three months, according to the report of an inspector sent by the state veterinarian's office to see if some epidemic might not be ravaging the herd. The first three may have died of blackleg, the inspector says.

Two Killed When Northwestern Train Hits an Automobile

FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 19.—Mrs. J. E. Rogert, aged 35, and her daughter, aged 4, was killed two miles east of Arlington today when the car in which they were riding was struck by a Northwestern freight train.

Mr. Rogert, who was driving the car, escaped practically unhurt.

FORTY CANDIDATES ARE INITIATED BY KNIGHTS

HUMPHREY, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—A class of forty candidates were initiated into the order of the Knights of Columbus here yesterday. At 10 o'clock in the morning the candidates and visitors marched in a body to St. Francis church to attend high mass, and listened to a sermon given by Bishop J. H. Thien. A special train arrived from Columbus at 1:30 p. m., which brought visiting members, who were met at the depot by the Humphrey band; candidates and members then marched to the St. Francis school hall, where the initiation and banquet took place.

At 2 p. m. the officers of the St. Michael council of Albion took charge of the first and second degree work.

District Deputy Dr. F. H. Morrow, assisted by the Omaha team, exemplified the third degree, after which a sumptuous banquet was served by the wives and daughters of the local Knights of Columbus. Father Mark of Humphrey presided as toastmaster, and after the invocation by Rev. Florentius Kurser, the toastmaster called on the following clergymen and knights for addresses: "The Missionary," by Judge Corcoran of York, who recently visited the old Spanish missionaries in southern California. He gave a very interesting description of the old and beautiful missions built a long time ago.

Rev. E. S. Munch of Madison responded to the toast, "Statements," which was in part humorous, and brought applause.

"Duty and Opportunity," was responded to by Right Rev. J. H. Thien, bishop of Lincoln.

The music and a male quartette, consisting of local members of the order, added greatly to the solemnity of the occasion.

Visiting members from Columbus, Platte Center, Albion, Lindsay, Petersburg, Cornelia, Madison, Norfolk and Omaha attended the initiation.

FRANKLIN OUT AFTER NEW RAILROAD STATION

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Franklin, Neb., wants a new depot and municipal electricity. Mayor Mayor H. J. Murray, C. F. W. Bloedorn, president of the Commercial club, and James Conkling, its secretary, appeared before the state railway commission today informally for advice. They need a new depot, they say, the old one built thirty years ago having been outgrown. They also wanted to erect a municipal lighting plant or to buy current from Holdrege at 6 cents a kilowatt.

DOUGLAS COUNTY PAYS MUCH INTEREST YEARLY

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The bonded indebtedness of Douglas county totals \$1,911,185, according to an official report from Treasurer Ure to State Auditor Smith. The interest on the debt is more than \$70,000 a year. These figures do not include \$1,000,000 of school bonds voted by the school district of Omaha last spring, but not yet issued.

Attend Wreck Victims' Funeral.

LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special Telegram.)—Secretary of State Pool, Deputy Secretary Cooper and Mrs. Cooper went to Tecumseh today to attend the funeral of Theodore Smith and A. O. Shaw, vice president and cashier, respectively, of the Tecumseh State bank, who were killed in the Randolph, Kan., motor car accident on the Union Pacific last Saturday.

Cleanse the Blood and Avoid Disease

When your blood is impure, weak, thin and debilitated, your system becomes susceptible to any or all diseases. Put your blood in good condition. Hood's Sarsaparilla acts directly and peculiarly on the blood—it purifies, enriches and revitalizes it and builds up the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has stood the test of forty years. Get it today. It is sure to help you.—Advertisement.

Suffragists Pray For a Victory in New Jersey Fight

Douglas county suffragists opened their annual meeting, Tuesday afternoon, with prayer for a victory in New Jersey. Mrs. G. P. Cooper led the prayers, in which special mention was made of the good work done by President Wilson, Cupid, the god of love, and "Billy" Sunday in helping the cause of suffrage. The meeting was held at the Young Women's Christian association.

Mrs. W. G. Whitmore of Valley was elected chairman; Miss Margaret Cullen, first vice chairman; Dr. Adda Wiley Ralston, second vice chairman; Mrs. Arthur Remington, secretary, and Mrs. B. B. Baldwin, treasurer. Mrs. H. C. Sumner is the retiring chairman.

A feature of the meeting was a continuation of the "big subscription" begun last week at the state meeting at Columbus. Fourteen pigs were pledged to the state suffrage fund there, in addition to which Mrs. Archie Love, Mrs. Myra Kelly, Mrs. E. S. Rood and Mrs. Whitmore subscribed a pig yesterday. Mrs. Whitmore said she would rather give a sheep, because it would bring more money.

Last year, Douglas county raised \$1,100 for suffrage, although the apportionment was only \$700. The remainder was contributed to the national fund. The women voted yesterday for Omaha to assume its own apportionment of \$60, leaving the rest of the county under the supervision of Mrs. Whitmore.

The enrollment plan of Mrs. H. H. Wheeler of Lincoln, and the placing of copies of The Woman's Journal, the suffrage paper, in reading rooms, barber shops, depots and other public places will be part of next year's work.

Four hundred reservations for Friday afternoon at the Sunday tabernacle have been placed at the disposal of the suffragists.

Bank Change at Arlington.
FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Arlington State bank, one of the oldest banks in this section of the country, has changed hands, a party of Fremont bankers and businessmen having bought the controlling interest in the stock from Judge George Marshall. Herman Meyer, secretary-treasurer of Group 2 Nebraska bankers, who recently resigned as cashier of the First National bank of Hooper, has been elected vice president to succeed Mr. Marshall, who has been active manager of the institution for several years. Mr. Marshall will go to California to make his home, owing to the ill health of Mrs. Marshall.

Miscellaneous Shower.
EDGAR, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The Misses Eve and Ethel Wheeland and Miss Beulah Cottle gave a prenatal miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Mary Heller at the home of Miss Cottle last night. Fifteen of Miss Heller's young friends were present. Miss Heller is to be married next Sunday to Leslie Willson, Burlington agent at Stoddard, Neb., where the young people will make their home.

"For Sale" ad will turn second-hand furniture into cash.

Fremont Defeats Jetters.
FREMONT, Neb., Oct. 19.—(Special.)—The Fremont Bowling team defeated the Jetters' Old Age in a match on the local alleys Monday evening, by 2,861 to 2,450 pins. The Jetters won two out of three games, but lost on total pins. A return match will be played at Omaha soon.

IOWA WOMAN TELLS OTHERS How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Carried Her Safely Through Change of Life.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa.—"At the Change of Life the doctor said I would have to give up my work and take my bed for some time as there was no help for me but to lie still. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and kept up my work and now I am over the Change and that is all I took. It was better for me than all the doctor's medicines I tried. Many people have no faith in patent medicines but I know this is good."—Mrs. E. J. RICKETS, 354 8th Avenue, West, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and inquietude, and dizziness, are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound invigorates and strengthens the female organism and builds up the weakened nervous system. It has carried many women safely through this crisis.

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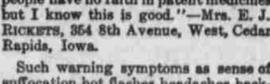
An Insight Into A Home of Your Own!

Picture tonight your going home—to a home like this; quiet, cozy, comfortable! A library table, with a reading lamp, and a big, comfortable chair drawn up where you may sit and read the paper while, in the dining room beyond, the good Wife arranges for the evening meal.

That's the way you'd like to have it—and that's the way you CAN have it. Such a home is available to you. You will find in the Real Estate columns of THE BEE many homes offered for sale. Among them you are sure to find one which just suits you. And if you wish, you may buy it on very easy terms, maybe no more per month than you would expect to pay for rent.



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McMillen Must Take Movies While in Air

(From a Staff Correspondent.) LINCOLN, Oct. 19.—(Special.)—Movies secured of the business section of Lincoln from the clouds" is the latest thriller which Adjutant General Phil Hall has directed Captain Ralph McMillen must perform in qualifying as chief of the aviation department of the National Guard.

McMillen's flights will continue throughout the week in working out the task assigned him by the adjutant general. The taking of moving pictures from an aeroplane is a difficult task even with an assistant, but McMillen will attempt it alone as soon as proper weather conditions prevail.

McMillen yesterday afternoon flew from the fair grounds to the penitentiary, a distance of four miles, dropped bombs at Thirteenth and O streets, over a crowded street, which were timed to explode several hundred feet above the ground. He dropped four bombs on the penitentiary and secured some splendid pictures while 1,600 feet in the air.

Orchard @ Wilhelm Co.

414-16-18 South Sixteenth Street

BIG SPECIAL SALE

Rockers, Chairs, Settees, Davenport Sofas

The goods assembled for this sale on main floor comprise chairs, rockers, settees in fumed oak, mahogany, Jacobean oak and golden oak—the upholsterings are leather, tapestry and denim, intermixed with many choice patterns in cane panels and cane and tapestry combinations.

This partial list will give you an idea of the saving possible.

- \$70 Davenport, mahogany frame, denim covered seat and back, sale price \$52.50
- \$100 Sofa, fumed oak, Spanish leather cushion seat and back, sale price \$40.00
- \$20 solid mahogany Rocker or Arm Chair, cane seat and back, stained to match color of finish, sale price \$15.00
- \$32 Wing Rocker, denim covered, mahogany frame, sale price, each \$24.00
- \$48 Arm Chair, large, roomy and comfortable, mahogany frame, sale price \$35.00
- \$5.00 Rocker, fumed oak, Spanish leather seat; sale price \$3.75
- \$29.00 Chair, large and comfortable, fumed oak, Spanish leather seat and back, sale price \$19.00
- \$28.00 Rocker or Arm Chair, solid mahogany, antique brown finish, stained cane seat and back to match, Adam design. Sale price, each \$20.00
- \$34.00 Mahogany Sofa, denim covered seat, back and arms. Sale price \$25.00
- \$18.00 Arm Chair or Rocker, Jacobean oak, cane seat and back. Sale price, each \$12.00
- \$12.00 Rocker, fumed oak, cane seat and back. Sale price \$7.50

Annual October Sale of ORIENTAL RUGS

You don't buy an Oriental Rug in a hurry—saying "There's a bargain, I'll take that one." It may be a bargain, nevertheless, but you want to study it, to gain the full appreciation of its colorings, grasp the scheme of its intricate design and perhaps picture in your mind the possible romance of its history.

This is the process of buying an Oriental Rug, and in this October Sale we endeavor to give our patrons opportunity to see a larger number of beautiful rugs at very attractive prices—we invite you to see this collection and judge for yourself the value of our offering.

A Choice Lot of Rugs Ranging From 7-1x4 Down to 2-6x5, Including Some Wonderful Values For \$21.00 Each

- Ruffled and lace edged Muslin Curtains, \$1.35 and \$1.50 values; pair \$1.00
 - Figured Silkolines, yard 12 1/2 c
 - Imported Curtain Muslins, 75c values, yard for 38c
 - Verdure Tapestry Couch Covers, regular \$7.50 \$5.25
- Drapery Section—Main Floor

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